

REMARKS

By the above amendments, Applicant provides an Abstract and canceled claims 40-63, without prejudice. Applicant requests that this preliminary amendment be entered before examination and calculation of the filing fee.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (312) 226-1818 is respectfully invited.

Respectfully submitted,

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